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R 011830Z JUL 74

FM AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2382

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE NEW DELHI 8721

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FM AMCONSUL CALCUTTA

TO AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI NIACT IMMEDIATE 9656

C O N F I D E N T I A L

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE CALCUTTA 1352

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, CASC, IN

SUBJ: HARCOS:FLETCHER

1. CONSUL WILLIAM E. BALL SUBMITTED A PETITION FOR REGULAR CONSULAR ACCESS, EVERY THREE DAYS, STARTING, "AS SOON AS POSSIBLE", TO CHIEF METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE ON JULY 1. MAGISTRATE HAS SCHEDULED HEARING (AT WHICH TIME HE WILL MAKE HIS JUDGEMENT) FOR 12:30 PM, JULY 2. I HAVE BEEN ASSURED BY THE GOWB CHIEF SECRETARY THAT THE PROSECUTION WILL NOT OBJECT TO THE PETITION.

2. ALSO TOMORROW, JULY 2, THE HIGH COURT WILL HOLD ITS HEARING ON THE PROSECUTION'S APPEAL RE CHARGES BEING MADE AVAILABLE TO THE DEFENSE. WE UNDERSTAND FROM BOTH DEFENSE LAWYERS THAT THEY HAVE DECIDED TO PLAY THE ROLE OF AMICUS CURIAE FOR THE WEST INDIA/CEYLON/NEGRO WHO HAD NOT PREVIOUSLY HAD DEFENSE COUNSEL. THIS WILL ENSURE THAT HIS LACK OF DEFENSE WILL NOT SLOW UP THE PROGRESS OF THE CASE FOR HARCOS AND  
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FLETCHER.

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